



city of san luis obispo

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POLICE OFFICER LATERAL

SALARY: The current monthly salary range is \$4,818 to \$6,554.

FINAL FILING DEADLINE: Open until filled

The City of San Luis Obispo is currently accepting applications for the position of Police Officer – **lateral**. Under general supervision, the Police Officer performs law enforcement and crime prevention activities, controls traffic flow, enforces State and local traffic regulations, participates in career development, special assignments and performs related work as required. Patrol Officers work a 3/12 schedule.

Job Duties:

Essential Duties: Completes in a proper and thorough manner, all assignments made by competent authority. Responds to situations involving in-progress or recent criminal activity to restore or maintain order and conducts in-depth investigations of criminal incidents. Resolves conflicts of a potentially violent nature involving a wide variety of participants. Observes, reports, and follows up on conditions which pose potential threats to the public safety and health. Provides rescue and first aid services as needed, in keeping with appropriate training. Other Duties: Provides counseling, referral, and follow-up services to resolve domestic and civil crises. Takes an active role in promoting police community relations and crime prevention programs. Investigates and acts on State and City traffic enforcement. Performs related duties as required.

Must have knowledge of:

geography and population of the City; the principles, practices, and techniques of police work; basic criminal procedures, patrol techniques, case law, search warrants, investigative and evidentiary techniques; human motivation, behavior patterns and criminal psychology.

And ability to:

successfully complete all assigned training and to relate that training to field use; react quickly and calmly in emergencies, make accurate assessments and take appropriate actions; safely and skillfully use firearms and other non-lethal weapons; skillfully gather and preserve evidence, conduct effective interviews, express oneself concisely, and perform Police Officer duties.

Necessary Education and Experience:

High school diploma or G.E.D. Graduation from a California P.O.S.T. approved Basic Academy. At least twenty one years of age at time of appointment to Police Officer. Uncorrected vision of 20/100. Corrected to 20/20 in one eye and 20/30 in the other. For individuals wearing soft contact lenses the "uncorrected" acuity

individuals wearing soft contact lenses, the uncorrected vision standard does not apply, but vision must be corrected to 20/30 when both eyes are tested together. The wearer of soft lenses must have at least one year of successful use. Normal color vision is required. Excellent physical condition with weight proportionate to height as determined by an agility test and an examining physician. **Possession of:** a valid California Class "C" driver's license. Must possess a California Basic POST Certificate (or qualify for one) and **be currently employed full-time as a sworn Police Officer or Deputy Sheriff with a California law enforcement agency.**

How to Apply:

A completed City application must be received in the Department of Human Resources by the final filing deadline to be considered for employment. **Resumes are welcome, but will not be accepted in lieu of a completed City application.** For an application form or further information, contact the Department of Human Resources, 990 Palm St, San Luis Obispo CA 93401. (805) 781-7250. Job Hot Line: (805)781-7153. Web site www.slocity.org Telecommunications device for the deaf (805) 781-7410. e-mail: employment@slocity.org

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